



The 1113th meeting of the New England Botanical Club, Inc. will be held Friday, **4 November 2016, at 6:45 p.m.** in Haller Lecture Hall (room 102), Geological Museum, 24 Oxford St., Harvard University, Cambridge, MA.



“Plants and Flowers of Maine: Kate Furbish's Watercolors”

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PLEASE NOTE:

- 1) **MELISSA DOW CULLINA’S ABSTRACT:** Melissa will discuss the publication of a new two-volume set of books featuring the stunning artwork of Maine's pioneering botanical explorer, Kate Furbish. Included in the presentation will be details of Furbish’s life and work, including her extensive herbarium collection, most of which she gifted to the NEBC. Please see the [NEBC Home Page](#) for the full abstract.
- 2) **NEBC PROGRAM for 2016-2017:** Please print and post or send to colleagues and potential new members. [[NEBC Membership](#)] Meetings are open to the public. Please note that again this year the January meeting will not be held at Harvard University. [NEBC 2016-2017 Program Calendar](#)
- 3) **LES MEHRHOFF BOTANICAL RESEARCH FUND:** Applications for funding will be accepted from 20 November 2016 to 1 January 2017. Full details for project requirements and application instructions can be found on the [Les Mehrhoff Botanical Research Fund](#) web page. Summaries of past funded projects and a button for donations can be found on the same web page.
- 4) **CONSIDER CONTRIBUTIONS TO RHODORA:** The Editorial Board of *Rhodora* encourages contributions to the new **Featured Review** section and **The Botanists’ Corner**, in addition to research for publication. Full details can be found on the [About Rhodora](#) web page.
- 5) **PARKING LOCATION:** From 5 PM-10 PM, our designated FREE parking lot is **the 52 Oxford St. Garage, near the intersection of Everett St. and Oxford St.** Parking in any other lot will likely lead to towing. Please find a map showing the Oxford Garage (52OX) at the following link: [Interactive Harvard University Map](#).
- 6) **EARLIER ARRIVALS:** For those arriving before 5 PM, visitor permits (\$17.00/day) are available from Harvard Parking Service at Harvard Campus Service Center, 8th floor, Holyoke Building, 1350 Massachusetts Ave. (8AM-5PM) and on-line at [Visitor Parking Permit](#). Select OEB/MCZ/HUH for building and 2017 for the department code. License plate number needed for transaction. Print pass and display on dash. For more information, Parking Services may be contacted at 617-495-3772 or parking@harvard.edu. [AN ALTERNATIVE: Some members park at Alewife T station and ride the red line train to the Harvard Square T stop.]

The Council will meet 4–5 PM in the meeting room near Haller Lecture Hall.